

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No: 10/578,638
Applicant: Hiroki Kaihori
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Title: VEHICLE ANTITHEFT SYSTEM
TC/A.U.: 2437
Examiner: Jeffery L. Williams
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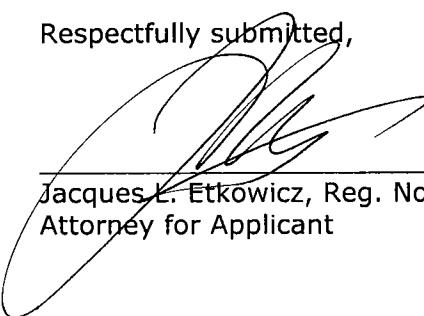
INTERVIEW SUMMARY

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Applicant's representative conducted a telephone interview with the Examiner and the Examiner's Supervisor on April 6, 2010. During the telephone interview, the Examiner clarified the rejections of claims 1 and 5 under §112. In addition, differences between Tsuji et al. (U.S. 2004/0056776) and Applicant's claim 1 were discussed. No agreement was reached. The Examiner again advised the Applicant that if independent method claims were added, a Restriction Requirement would not be issued.

Respectfully submitted,



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